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In re Application of:

Darrell C. Conklin, Hal Blumberg, Theresa A. Deisher

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A HUMAN 2-19 PROTEIN HOMOLOGUE, Z219C

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 17, 2001 be extended for a period of three months from April 17, 2001 to July 17, 2001.

Applicants claim small entity status. Please charge the total fee, estimated to be \$445.00 to ZymoGenetics, Inc., Deposit Account No. 26-0290. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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